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Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, Virginia 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

RESPONSE PURSUANT TO 37 C.F.R. §1.111

In response to the Office Action dated January 29, 2008, Applicants respectfully request the Examiner to reconsider the rejection of the claims in view of the comments and amendments set forth below.